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DIVISION OF OIL, GAS & MINING

Mr. E. B. King, President Jumbo Mining Company 6305 Fern Spring Cove Austin, Texas 78730

Dear Mr. King:

We have completed our review of the amendment to your Plan of Operations for the Mizpah Pit in Millard County, Utah. As identified in your submission, this amendment will involve the following mining claims: Sadie No. 1 (UMC 154057), Sadie No. 2 (UMC 154058), Mizpah No. 1 (UMC 154051), and Mizpah No. 6 (UMC 154056).

We have prepared an Environmental Assessment (EA) on this amendment as required by our regulations. I have enclosed a copy of this EA for your records. This EA identified the need for the following mitigation measures for your proposed mine area:

- The area of mining activity shall be fenced. The fence shall be constructed to meet or exceed the specification shown on Attachment B of the EA. Twenty-four inch woven wire with two strands of barbed wire above it shall be used. The fence shall be removed when the reclamation is accepted as successful.
- 2. All waste dumps and any highwalls shall be recontoured to a slope of 3:1 or less prior to final reclamation.
- 3. Soils that have a thickness of 10 inches or more shall be salvaged for later use in reclamation except for horizons which are greatly enriched in calcium carbonate (CaCO3). The soils to be salvaged shall be identified jointly by the BLM and a representative of the Company prior to mine construction.
- 4. The haul roads shall be treated with water or a dust suppressant as needed to reduce the amount of dust emitted to the area.

This amendment to your Plan of Operations is approved, provided that you agree to implement the mitigation measures identified above. All operations must be conducted in accordance with the mitigating measures that are identified in the approval of your Plan of Operations, unless amended above, and with the regulations contained in 43 CFR 3809 Surface Management. You must obtain all necessary permits from the State of Utah before commencing mining. Approval of this amendment to your Plan of Operations will not now, nor in the future, serve as a determination of the validity nor ownership of any mining claim to which this Plan may be related.

You have the right to appeal to the Utah State Director, Bureau of Land Management, in accordance with 43 CFR 3809.4. If you exercise this right, your appeal should contain: 1) the name and mailing address of the appellant, 2) name(s) and serial number(s) of the mining claims, and 3) a statement of reasons and any arguments you wish to present, which would justify reversal or modification of the decision. This appeal must be filed in writing in this office within 30 days after the date of this decision. This decision will remain in effect during the appeal unless a written request for a stay is granted.

Sincerely,

For Jerry Goodman District Manager

Enclosure:
As Stated Above

cc:

D. Wayne Hedberg, UDOGM Jerry Reagan, Millard County Zoning and Planning HRRA